

**In the Specification:**

Please replace paragraph [0025] with the following:

[0025] Although delivery container 12 is depicted in FIGS. 1 and 2 as a conventional syringe and the suspension apparatus 10 is confined inside of delivery container 12, the invention is not so limited. In various alternative embodiments of the invention, suspension apparatus 10 may be deployed inside any suitable delivery container, may be located in an external container adjacent an exit port of a propellant fluid container, or may be positioned in-line at any point in a fluid path extending between a propellant fluid container and a patient. Alternatively, the apparatus 10 may be located adjacent the exit port 26 of an external container.

Please replace paragraph [0044] with the following:

[0044] With reference to FIG. 9 in which like reference numerals refer to like features in FIGS. 1-8, the delivery container 12 further includes an external compartment 90 coupled in fluid communication with the ~~exit port 26~~ syringe and the suspension apparatus 10 is positioned inside of the external compartment 90. The external compartment 90 may, alternatively, assume the form of a canister (not shown) similar to external compartment 90 that is positioned in-line at any point in a fluid path extending between a propellant fluid container and a patient. A connector 92, such as a male luer fitting, couples the external compartment 90 of delivery container 12 with another connector 94, such as a female luer fitting, on an end of a tube 96 that extends to a patient. The suspension apparatus 10 is coupled in fluid communication with the lumen of the tube 96 by an exit port 98 defined collectively in the external compartment 90 and connector 92.